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CYPRIOT-EGYPTIAN DISPUTE

REF: ATHENS 1552

PRIME MINISTER CARAMANLIS ISSUED THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT
TODAY (FEBRUARY 23) CONCERNING THE CYPRIOT-EGYPTIAN DISPUTE
(EMBASSY'S UNOFFICIAL TRANSLATION):
"I REGRET THE COURSE WHICH RELATIONS BETWEEN EGYPT AND
CYPRUS HAVE TAKEN, TWO NATIONS WHICH ARE LINKED BY TRADITIONAL
FRIENDSHIP. IT IS OBVIOUS THAT BOTH GOVERNMENT WERE INVOLVED
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IN AN EPISODE WHICH WAS A CONSEQUENCE OF EVENTS WHICH
WERE BEYOND THEIR CONTROL. CONSEQUENTLY, HOSTILE INTENTIONS
SHOULD NOT BE ATTRIBUTED TO EITHER ONE. IN ANY EVENT, I HOPE
AND WISH THAT WITH THE PASSING OF JUSTIFIED EMOTIONS, WHICH
THE EVENTS AT LARNACA PROVOKED, COOLER THINKING WILL PREVAIL
WHICH WILL LEAD TO THE DISSOLUTION OF THE MISUNDERSTANDINGS
WHICH WERE CREATED."

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